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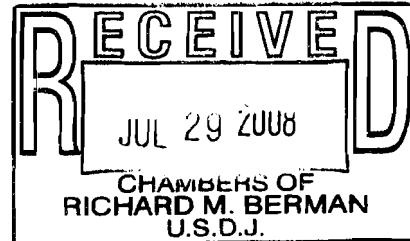
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July 29, 2008

BY FAX

The Honorable Richard M. Berman
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Harry Brama,
05 Cr. 109; 08 Civ. 1931 (RMB)

Dear Judge Berman:

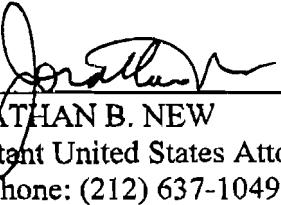
The Government respectfully submits this letter to request an additional 30 day extension of time, *nunc pro tunc*, in which to respond to the above-referenced application pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (the "2255 motion") until August 18, 2008. The Government's response was due on or about July 17, 2008. This will be the Government's final request for an extension of time.

The Government has received an affirmation from the defendant's prior counsel concerning the defendant's claim that his counsel failed to file a requested notice of appeal. We are in the process of reviewing that affirmation and other materials related to the defendant's guilty plea in order to prepare a response to the 2255 motion. The Government respectfully requests the additional time in order to complete that review and submit an appropriate response.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Harry Brama (by U.S. Mail)
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Final extension granted to
Govt to serve + file written
response to all issues raised
by Mr. Brama by 8/18/08.

SO ORDERED:

Date: 7/30/08



Richard M. Berman, U.S.D.J.